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Dear Angel:

RE: CPS Chemical Company, Old Bridge, NJ, EPA ID NO. NJD 002 141 190

Please find attached one (1) copy of the above referenced facility's response to the Bureau's confidentiality determination made on April 1, 1986. The attachment contains material earlier claimed to be confidential and not submitted with the original application in August 1985.

Should you have any questions on these matters, please contact Shree Dharasker of my staff at (609) 633-2975.

Very truly yours,

Frank Coolick, Chief

Bureau of Hazardous Waste Engineering

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RE: Confidentiality Claim, CPA Chemical, Inc., EPA ID No. NJD 002 141 190

Dear Mr. Rowe:

The Bureau of Hazardous Waste Engineering (the Bureau) is in receipt of your letter dated February 28, 1986, substantiating a confidentiality claim made on certain documents submitted in the Part B application. The Bureau has reviewed the letter and documents submitted and has made the following determinations.

In regard to the revised flow Schematics on the DMSO, methylene chloride and AEEA streams, please be advised that percentage ranges on these products rather than specific yields are acceptable to the Bureau and may be substituted for the earlier submitted flow schematics. Please find enclosed with this letter the original schematics depicting specific yields of products. Please also be advised that as the facility is now withdrawing its claim of confidentiality on the entire processing Flow Schematic sections, three copies of this section without the confidential stamp need to be submitted to update the previous applications.

In regard to the gas chromatography methods, the Bureau has reviewed this with the existing methods specified in EPA document SW846. A preliminary review indicates a substantial amount of in house analytical work on these methods. Hence, the Bureau upholds the claim of confidentiality on these documents. Pursuant to NJAC 7:14-11-4, a confidentiality fee in the amount of \$250.00 must be submitted to the department. These four (4) documents shall be kept in a confidential file under lock & key. However, the earliest submittal documents must be resubmitted in duplicate without a confidential stamp.

In regard to Engineering Details depicted by foundation designs please be advised the confidentiality substantiation made in your letter is not acceptable to the Bureau. In the Bureau's opinion, the foundation designs provide the basis for showing the facility's ability to adequately and safely dispose and treat hazardous waste. Information such as the load bearing capacities, containment system details and drainage layout will be required to convince the public that the facility is secure and does not pose a threat to the environment. It is felt that the public may have an interest in these designs and should be afforded an opportunity to review them. The facility is therefore advised to submit 3 copies of the foundation drawings without the confidentiality stamp to complete the previously submitted applications.

Please also be advised that acceptance of this determination by the Bureau would make the Part B application administratively complete as per my October 21, 1985 letter. In order to continue the application process an additional six (6) copies of the application for circulation and review by affected local, state as federal governing bodies is required. Please submit these copies along with the other copies required to complete the earlier submitted applications, within thirty (30) days of the date of this letter.

Should you have any questions on these matters please contact my office at (609) 292-9880.

Very truly yours,

Frank Coolick, Chief Bureau of Hazardous Waste Engineering

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c: Angel Chang, USEPA, Region II